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SHRIEVALTY

Recount Gives Him 25 Majority Over Word.

WILL MAKE NO APPEAL

Multnomah County Sheriff Word Says He Will Not Contest.

INCREASE IN PRECINCT 88

In This Precinct Victorious Nominee Adds Sixteen Votes To His Tally Word Has No Kick Coming.

PORTLAND. June 29.-By a plurality of 25 votes, Robert L. Stevens is elected sheriff of Multnomah county. The recount brought about by the contest by Sheriff Word was ended at 12:20 this afternoon. Word, whose term expires at noon Monday, will not appeal.

there was more excitement than at any previous period. There was a genuine sensation sprung on the recount of precinct No. 88, which is located at Bertha. in the southern part of the county. It was in this precinct that Word sustained the most serious setback of any of the 90 precincts in Multnomah, and it was this precinct which clinched Stevens' lead and made his election an undisputable certainty.

Bertha Precinct Vote.

In Bertha precinct alone Stevens gained 15 votes, giving him a lead of 25. and there were but two more precincts to wade through. According to the official figures, Stevens had received 9 votes in Bertha precinct and Word 37. When the ballots were put through the process of recounting, however, the Stevens vote swelled to 16, a difference to the good of 7 votes, while Word's vote melted to 29, a loss of 8, making the Stevens total gain in this precinct

In the race down the home stretch Stevens took the lead at the last lap and held this position through the final 10 precincts in the county. There was of 60 miles an hour. The story connever any doubt, to other than the Word people, of the outcome from the moment the recount was resumed at 9:30,

Word Will Not Appeal. 'There will be appeal to the Supreme Court so far as I am concerned." declared Tom Word today, "I desired a recount in order to satisfy the people who had voted for me, because of the perhaps relatives, of Annie's natural ed her daughter in the Haas family who are in excess of all posible needs, and it close result on the official count. It is my intention to invite Mr. Stevens to the office this afternoon and tell him to assume charges. I am willing and purchased home at Willow Grove. 12 tody in the New Jersey court of chan-cilities are limited. Seven hundred and auxious to initiate him into all the details of the office, so that he will be thoroughly familiar with the duties and know as much about the office as I do."

DRAWS HIS KNIFE.

Representative Bartlett Threatens to Cut Southwick With Penknife,

WASHINGTON, June 30-What prom-Southwick sought to pass a resolution dust." increasing the pay of tally clerks. Bartaccounts, asked if the resolution had child was the daughter of Annie Hessel- closed the boys were soon overcome. been passed upon by the committee of man, formerly a servant for E. H. Har-

from Southwick he took a position on republican side. Then Southwick made the remark that there had been a good deal of lying in the committee on resolutions and made a movement towards Bartlett. Thinking, he says, a personal assault was intended Bartlett who had a silver penknife in his hand said Southwick dare not say he lied or he would cut him. Friends interfered, and prevented further trouble.

MUTUAL INQUIRY

REPORT IS COMPLETED

Charges of Mismanagement Made, But Officials Are Doing Right.

NEW YORK. June 29 .- The final report of the committee appointed by the Mutual Life trustees last October to examine into the organization and management of the company was made public today. Practically every department of the company was examined by expert accountants and while charges of mismanagement and wrong doings are made, the report as a while contains little that has not already been dis-

Under the head of expenditures of a questionable character and for purposes TAKE REPRESSIVE MEASURES ton Theological Seminary in 1871. not disclosed by the books and vouchers, the report says "They aggregate for the entire period from January 1. 1899, to December 31, 1905, the sum of \$913,874. Government Realizes That Something The committee concludes the report with the statement that in the committee's opinion President Peabody and his staff were making the most conscientious and thorough effort to conduct the affairs of the company "on broad, correct, and conservative business lines."

WASHINGTON, June 29.-The bill for the completion of the Alaska Central Railroad passed the House tonight,

Unknown Men in Auto Carry Child Away.

AGENTS FOR GIRL'S MOTHER

Men Are Suspected To Have Been In the Employ of Mother of the Girl-Child Was Adopted Seven Years Ago.

NEW YORK, June 29 .- A special dispatch to the World from Dover. Del., tells of the abduction of Annie Haas yesterday by two men in an automobile. They seized the girl before her mother's eyes, gagged her with a handkerchief and whizzed away with her at the rate

Haas acknowledges tonight that Annie, their own. Haas is certain that the kidnapers in the automobile are guests, an advertisement. Miss Hesselman locat- and General Greely that the donations mother.

ned. Haas was away from his newly mother brought suit for her child's custhe automobile dashed by the Hass farm | Haas family moved to Delaware. house before whose door they saw Annie and her younger sister. Haas' own child. The men returned in a few moments and stopped before the house, pretending to make repairs to the machine.

"The children ran up to the machine ard the instant Annie was close enough the men seized her, thrust a handkerchief in her mouth, hustled her into the Metlin, also 14 years of age, was aboard amounts to over a quarter of a million ised to be a serious encounter between automobile, and were away. The younger the gasoline launch Adel. The two boys dollars will be used for more pressing Representatives Southwick of New York girl's tearful shrieks brought her mother went to the toilet. Shortly afterward needs of relief. and Bartlett of Georgia was prevented from the house but long before she or they were missed, and upon search for carly this morning (Saturday) in the the neighbors could give the alarm, the them they were found in the toilet un- relief commission today by Commission-House by the intercession of friends, automobile had vanished in a cloud of conscious. The exhaust pipe running ers Devine, Pippy, Moran, and by Dr.

Annie Haas is temporarily the ward of lett, a member of the committee on Court of Chancery of Jersey City. The pipe let out the gas, and the door being than a million a year to administer and the House. The speaker informed him riman. Miss Hesselman gave the infant but the Goodwill boy never regained Ward will require about \$43,000 and that it had not. Bartlett objected, in charge of a friend, Mrs. Hoffman, consciousness. Metlin is not much the Major Gaston, superintendent of camps Southwick pleaded with Bartlett to let whose home was in Brooklyn. For two worse this morning excepting a slight will require \$39,000 and there will be the resolution go through, but the and a half years she paid the infant's headache, but he was unconscious for many salaries and incidental expenses in kane 1. Georgian was obdurate. Backing away board, and then, unable to longer stand over three hours.

The Reactionary Ministry Favors This Plan.

CHECK REVOLUTION

Ministry Would Use Army While Soldiers Are Yet Loyal.

Must Be Done Quickly To Check the Growing Dissaffection of the People.

ST. PETERSBURG. June 29. - Under the influence of recent developments General Tanner escaped serious injury. touching the loyalty of the army and the conviction that the present policy of inaction has reached its limit, the reactionary faction of the ministry has reoon Monday, will not appeal.

CHILD IS ABDUCTED vived the plan for a dissolution of parliament and the stamping out of revolutionary activity in the country by armed tionary activity in the country by armed force, while such force is still available, Ministrial repressionists base their hopes on the supposition that the great majority of troops will hail an actual conflict as at Moscow in December last, they forgot their grievances to enter whole heartedly into the combat. One of the advocates of repression said to the Associated Press today that it would be necessary to strike hard immediately or otherwise within a fortnight the world would probably see proclamations of republics in many places. The whole south Protests to Mayor Schmitz Against the of Russia, the speaker said, is belching forth anarchy and revolution and parliament as "A hindrance to the work of pacification" must be dissolved at once. Emperor Nicholas according to reliable

information which has reached the Associated Press, summoned the Preobrajensky regiment before the Imperial Palace at Peterhof today and in a sercastic address expressed his regret at the evidence of their disloyalty in declaring sympathy with the radical program of parliament. The emperor concluded by saying that he never would wear the uniform of that regiment.

the financial burden, advertised her little who is 10 years old, is his adopted one for adoption. Mrs. Haas read the daughter but he insists he and his wife advertisement. Mrs Hoffman permitted protest." have had her in their care for over her to take the child. For seven years seven years and love her as if she was Annie Hesselman kept up the search for her daughter. Last February, through then lived in Jersey City. Mr. and Mrs. was deemed the best plan to dispose of "The abduction was cunningly plan- Haas refused to give up the child. The it rather than pay storage on thousands

BOY LOSES LIFE.

sad accident occurred yesterday afternoon in which Cecil Goodwill, a boy 14 have not been granted. years of age, lost his life. Young Goodwill, accompanied by his chum, Elton proceeds fro mthe sale of flour, which

ENGINEER DIES AT THROTTLE.

PHILADELPHIA, June 29.-The Colonial exepress from Boston to Washington on the Pennsylvania railroad, arrived here last night with George Maxwell, the engineer, dead at the throtle. The train left Treenton, N. J. on schedule time. There are no stops between that point and the north Philadelphia station but it is customary to slacken the speed at Frankford's junction, in the northeastern section of the city. When this was not done. James Hackett, the fireman, called to Engineer Maxwell, who was at his post. eceiving no reply Hackett climbed over to the Engineer's side of the cab and found Maxwell dead, his fingers rigid uponthe throttle. Maxwel's death was due to heart disease. He was 45 years old.

REV. ALEXANDER DIES.

SAN ANSELMO, Cal., June 29.-Rev. William Alexander. D. D., L. L. D., Professor of Church History in the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, died at his home here today. He was born in Pennsylvania. He graduated from Jefferson College in 1858 and from Pricee-

MRS. TANNER KILLED.

Killed in Auto Accident.

HELENA. June 29.-Mrs. James Tanner, wife of the commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, was killed as at result of an automobile accident near here today. Mrs. Toole, wife of Governor-General. Lester Wilson, and The automobile ran off a ledge on a narrow road and turned over.

Minnesota Citizens Protest Against Selling Flour.

GOVERNOR SENDS TELEGRAM

Sale of Flour Intended For Free Distribution to the Needy Frisco Sufferers.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29 .- Mayor Schmitz received the following telegram from Governor Johnson of Minnesota:

'The citizens of Minneapolis donated 50,000 sacks of flour for free distribution among the needy sufferers of the California disaster. They protest against the sale or delivery of this flour and insist upon its distribution as intended and with them I earnestly join in their

Mayor Schmitz has taken no action in the matter as yet.

It is claimed by the relief committee of barrels, especially as the storage fa-

miles from this city. The two men in cery and won it. Soon afterward the fifty thousand pounds are reserved. which it is estimated will be sufficient for the needs of the sufferers of six months. On the other hand, it is also claimed that many people desire the MARSHFIELD. Ore., June 29 .- A very flour distributed as it was intended by the donors and that applications for it

The relief committee declares that the

According to budgets submitted to the from the engine goes through the toilet James W. Ward, the city's chief health room, and evidently a small leak in the official will require considerably more dispense the money contributed for the Everything possible was done for them destitute residents of San Francisco Dr. connection with the relief work.

AND BAD

Bailey and Tillman Discuss Protession.

ARGUE PASS PROVISION

Senate Treated to Heated Colloquy on Giving of Passes.

TILLMAN WOULD GIVE NONE

Wife of Commander-in-Chief of G. A. R. Pitchfork Senator Thinks the Railroad Lawyers and Their Families Should Not Be Given Free Rides-Bailey Differs.

> WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The Senate devoted most of its time today to a consideration of the conference reports, the general deficiency bill. including reports on the railroad rate bill, the Pure Food bill and the meat inspection provision of the agricultural bill. All were adopted during the day on. The principal controversy was over the rate bill when Bailey and Tillman held a heated colloquy, the more notable because of the warm friendship existing between the two senators. The controversy was on the subject of railroad lawyers in connection with the pass feature of the rate bill. Bailey expressed strong disapproval of the South Carolinan's views on that subject. Tillman objecting to placing railroad lawvers and their families among those favored by the rate bill in the list of persons entitled to ride on passes. There was also much discussion on the meat inspection provision. A number of senators expressed themselves as willing only to accept the House provision, because it was atached to an appropriation bill. and a deadlock would cause a failure in the supply bill. Bailey spoke highly of Tillman's usefulness as a senator and citizen, but said that sometimes he let certain prejudices interfere with his

"I think," he said, "a lawyer if he is a good one, is as good a citizen as lives bereath the flag."

Tillman replied declaring his regard for respectable members personally, but

'But I have the most infinite contempt for some of the breed I know." and said the "Dirty creatures who run political conventions" are the men whom he would shut off from the pass privilege.

MITCHELL'S TRIAL ON.

Slayer of Holy Roller Apostle Creffield Commences in Seattle Today.

SEATTLE, June 29 .- The trial of George Mitchell for killing Edward throughout the state, with good crops Franz Creffield was got under way today. In the opening statement for the prosecution Attorney Miller declared he state, shows little abatement of volume would show that Mitchell came to Seattle with the intent of killing Cref. The tonnage of foreign vessels entering field. The state will not take up the the port of San Francisco during June questions of Mitchell's sanity until that amounted to 60.138, phase is raised by the defense.

The state rested with the testimony of Mrs. Creffield, widow of the murdered man, who recounted the details of the tragedy. The defense will take the stand on Mondaq. Mitchell will be called as will his sister whose alleged ruin by measure now goes to the President for Creffied was the direct cause of the his signature. The Senate receded on

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL SCORES.

At Seattle-Seattle 4, San Francisco 6. At Portland-Fresno 6, Portland 3, Ot Oakland-Oakland 4. Los Angeles 3.

Northwest League, At Aberdeen-Gray's Harbor 4. Spo

At Tacoma-Tacoma 2. Butte 4.

TELLS HER LIFE'S HISTORY.

NEW YORK, June 29 .- Mrs. Thaw held a long conference with her husband's attorneys today during which she is said to have related her whole life's history, especially that portion pertaining to her acquaintance with White prior to her marriage. As a result of this conference it was decided that former Governor Black should take a leading part in the defense. Mrs. Thaw did not visit her husband in the Tombs today.

TOO MUCH LUMBER.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29,-It is asserted by the United Shipping & Transportation Association that despite the fact that many vessels are tied up as a result of the strike on the waterfront, more lumber is arriving in port than can be handled on the wharves. Most of it is being brought on sailing ships not affected by the tie up.

PRESIDENT SIGNS BILLS.

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The President tonight signed the railroad rate bill, the naturalization bill and the bill for construction of the lock canal on the isthmus of Panama.

THREE MEN KILLED.

EVELETH, Minn., June 28 .- Three men were killed by a powder explosion in the Mohawk mine. It is supposed one of the men accidentally ignited some dynamite by a candle he was carrying.

SENATE ADOPTS REPORT. WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The Senate toright adopted the conference report on

Financial Institution of Frisco in Good Shape.

HAVE RECOVERED FROM FIRE

Bulletin of Progress Shows Bank Clearings Are But Nine Per Cent Less For June, 1906, Than in June, 1905.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29 .- In its monthly bulletin of progress which it will issue Saturday, the California Promotion Committee says that commercial conditions throughout California are unprecedented in the history of recuperation from disaster and shows that the financial institutions of the state are on a sound basis with plenty of funds. The clearings of San Francisco for the month showed a decrease of but 9 per cent from those of the same period in 1905. The clearings for June, 1906, amounted to \$121.677.692, as against \$134,836,632 for June, 1905. Nearly 25,-000 skilled laborers are employed in reconstruction work, there having been between 2000 and 3000 temporary houses erected since the fire. During June 656 building permits were issued. There is a strong demand for labor of all products except apricots. The westward over railroads entering the when compared with previous years.

GETS NO LIGHTSHIP.

WASHINGTON, June 29-Both houses adopted the conference report on the sundry civil appropriation bill and the the amendment providing for a steel light vessel at the entrance to Juan De Fuca Straits, Washington.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The Senate after a discussion without action of the LaFollette bill limiting trainmen's hours of labor to sixteen consecutive hours adjourned at 11:45 p. m.